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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the Title Page, Item (75), in “Inventors”, line 1, delete “Brian Deen” and insert -- Brian J. Deen --, therefor.

On the Title Page, Item (75), in “Inventors”, line 3, delete “Alex Hopmann” and insert -- Alexander I. Hopmann --, therefor.

On the Title Page, Item (56), in “U.S. Patent Documents”, line 7, below

“6,704,786 B1 \* 3/2004 Gupta et al. .... 709/228”

insert --

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Cohen et al., INTERNET DRAFT–General Event Notification Architecture Base, Dated July 9, 1998.  
Wechta, Jerzy, Martin Fricker, and Fred Halsall, Hop-by-Hop Flow Control as a Method to Improve  
QoS in 802.3 LANs, IEEE, 1999. --.

In column 1, line 34, delete “(“TCP”)” and insert -- (“TCP”) --, therefor.

In column 8, line 58, delete “electromechanical” and insert -- electro-mechanical --, therefor.

In column 16, line 18, in Claim 9, after “protocol” insert -- , --.

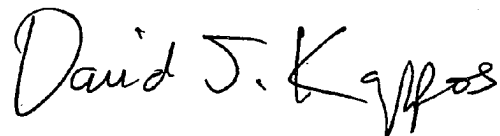
In column 16, line 35, in Claim 10, after “system” delete “if”.

In column 18, line 3–4, in Claim 21, delete “connection oriented” and insert -- connection-oriented --, therefor.

In column 18, line 16–17, in Claim 22, delete “computer executable-instructions” and insert  
-- computer-executable instructions --, therefor.

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